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A list of the total production of the Bleichert firm, now a Soviet Corporation plant in Leipzig-Gohlis (N 52/521) covering the period from 1 July 1946 to 1 August 1947 is attached (Annex 4).

Bleichert produces small electric locomotives resembling the well-known "Eidechsen", intended for use in pits and general mining service, fitted with wheels or caterpillars. Capacity; about 600 units per year). There was also priority work for the production of wreckers, i.e. cranes which were mounted on Soviet trucks (heavy type with rope drum, lifting power up to about 3 tons, allegedly intended for lifting trees). Yearly output of the firm: 500 to 600 units.

3. So-called claw cranes are also manufactured by the firm (crane installations, electromagnetic drive, lifting power 15 tons). The Bleichert firm only supplies the electrical parts and gadgets for these cranes. As it is difficult to procure certain components this production progresses slowly.

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[ ] Comment:

a. The plant is at 34 Viktor Adlerstrasse, Leipzig N 33. It belongs to the Soviet Corporation Bodjemnik. The greatest part of the production goes to the Soviet Union, especially to equip Soviet mining plants with modern mining equipment (e.g. tungsten and molybdenum mines in Tymri-Aus in the Caucasus). A smaller part of the production is sent to plants of the Soviet Corporation in the Soviet Zone of Germany (e.g. the Krupp-Gruson Plant in Magdeburg). The German plants of the Soviet Zone of Germany are only occasionally supplied with replacement parts.

25X1 b. Another source [ ] supplied in April 1949 the enclosed photos of the mine locomotive Karlik (1st photo) and of the automobile crane for the Soviet truck SIS (2d and 3rd photo); they probably represent the types mentioned in the annex 2 (see items 2 and 4).

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c. According to the available rate-of-output figures, the increase in production for 1949 is about 400 percent as compared with 1947.

Enclosure: 3 photos

2 typed Annexes: Lists of total production of the Bleichert Firm,  
Leipzig-Gohlis.

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List of total production of the Bleichert Firm, a Soviet Corporation Plant, in Leipzig-Gohlis, covering the period from 1 July 1947 to 1 August 1948

Period: 1.7. - 31.12.46

1947

1948

	Piece number	Rated output	Sold	Piece number	Rated output	Sold	Piece number	Rated output	Sold
1. Electric carts EK 2002	85	252	279	844	3150	4453	980	3634	5913
2. Lifting trucks EK 2004	-	-	-	-	-	-	100	491	549
3. SIS wrecker crane	-	-	-	-	-	-	302	6342	6112
4. Studebaker wrecker	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5. Karlik mine locomotive	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	10	-
6. Cup-shoveling excavator	-	-	-	20	586	740	50	1450	1955
7. Cableway	-	-	-	3	1303	1281	-	1623	1529
8. Cable crane	-	-	-	2	324	323	-	-	-
9. Bridge cranes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10. Assembly bands	132	268	233	173	648	773	-	-	-
11. Electric overhead cableways	-	-	-	1	-	105	-	-	-
12. Station assembly bands	209	775	606	130	1491	1752	44	1380	1662
13. Replacement parts	-	464	491	-	2772	2772	-	2684	2494
14. Construction work	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	377	385
15. Other orders Production for investment	-	106	92	-	271	271	-	423	599
16. Packing Assembly work	-	827	1058	-	2192	2192	-	340	2498
Total		2692	2759		12 737	14662		21254	23 776

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Period:	1.8.49			Total production		
	Item no.	Rated output	Sold	Pieces substituted	Rated output	Sold
1. Electric carts EK 2002	735	2656	4362	2642	9692	15007
2. Lifting trucks EK 2004	2	10	16	102	501	565
3. SIS wrecker crane	180	3780	4355	482	10122	10467
4. Studebaker wrecker	60	1260	1474	60	1260	1474
5. Karlik mine locomotive	243	2450	4080	244	2440	4080
6. Cup-shoveled excavator	47	1363	1833	117	3399	4528
7. Cable way	1	845	1119	4	3771	3929
8. Cable crane	1	392	264	5	716	587
9. Bridge cranes	1	439	632	1	439	632
10. Assembly bands	-	-	-	305	916	1006
11. Electric overhead cableways	-	-	-	1	-	105
12. Station assembly bands	1	77	66	384	3733	4086
13. Replacement parts		743	1160		6663	6907
14. Construction work		22	20		401	405
15. Other orders		105	105		905	1067
Production for investments		100	100		100	100
		795	990		340	
16. Packing		13977	20566		6312	6618
Assembly work					51700	61783

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